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In the spirit of giving this Christmas

" I will honor Christmas in my heart, and try to keep it all the year." ~ Charles Dickens

During this holiday season, the Shawnee Correctional Center has donated over 120 coats to the Pope County Grade School and the Vienna Grade School. Shawnee CC also collected money to purchase sweatpants for the Hardin County Elementary School. In addition to those items, a number of gloves, hats, and scarves were also distributed.

Shawnee CC will continue collecting items throughout the end of 2013 and will contact the local schools again in January to see if there are any additional needs.

Major Jeffrey Dennison spearheaded this effort with assistance from Warden Allan Martin and Assistant Warden Camilla Etienne.